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DECLARATION REGARDING DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL

Dear Sir:

The undersigned hereby declares as follows:

1. I believe that a deposit of biological material has been made with the Microbial Type Culture Collection (MTCC) at the Institute of Microbial Technology in Chandigarh, India, which is a recognized culture deposit center by both ATCC and the Budapest Treaty for Patent Deposits. (see attached copy of the deposit paperwork)
2. I also believe this depository will afford permanence of the deposit, as well as accessibility of the deposit to the public if a patent is granted. (see attached copy of the deposit paperwork)
3. I believe the depository has given the sample the accession number of MTCC 5159. (see attached copy of the deposit paperwork)
4. It is my belief that any restriction that may exist on the availability to the public of the material will be irrevocably removed upon the granting of a patent. (see attached copy of the deposit paperwork)

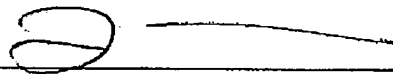
5. It is further my belief that the material has been deposited under conditions that allow access to the material during the pendency of the patent application to one determined by the Commissioner to be entitled such access under 37 CFR 1.14 and 35 USC 122. (see attached copy of the deposit paperwork)

6. It is also my belief that the material will be maintained with all the care necessary to keep it viable and uncontaminated for a period of at least five years after the most recent request for the furnishing of a sample of the deposited microorganism, and in any case, for a period of at least thirty (30) years after the date of deposit for the enforceable life of the patent, whichever period is longer. (see attached copy of the deposit paperwork)

7. Lastly, I herein declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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